# COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

PURCHASED WATER ADJUSTMENT )
OF BRONSTON WATER ) CASE NO. 2008-00269
ASSOCIATION, INC. )

On July 11, 2008, Bronston Water Association ("Bronston") applied for approval to adjust its rates pursuant to the purchased water adjustment procedure.<sup>1</sup>

The Commission, having reviewed the record and being sufficiently advised, finds that:

- Bronston purchases water from Monticello Utility Commission ("Monticello").
- 2. Monticello notified Bronston that, effective with its June 26, 2008 billing, the wholesale rate would increase from \$2.02 per 1,000 gallons to \$2.40 per 1,000 gallons.
- 3. Bronston proposes a purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.58 per 1,000 gallons.
- 4. During the 12-month period ending April, 2008, Bronston purchased 113,691,800 gallons of water. It sold 75,115,876 gallons of water during the same period. The increase in the cost of purchased water is \$43,202.88, resulting in a purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.58 per 1,000 gallons.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> KRS 278.012 and 807 KAR 5:068.

5. On June 2, 2008, Bronston's Board of Directors approved an increase in

its rates to its customers effective June 26, 2008 to reflect the increase in Monticello's

wholesale rate.

6. The purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.58 per 1,000 gallons is fair,

just, and reasonable and should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. The rates proposed by Bronston are approved.

2. The purchased water adjustment factor of \$0.58 per 1,000 gallons as

calculated in Appendix A, which is attached hereto and incorporated herein, is

approved.

3. The rates in Appendix B, which is attached hereto and incorporated

herein, are fair, just, and reasonable and are approved for service provided on or after

June 26, 2008.

4. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, Bronston shall file with the

Commission revised tariff sheets showing the rates approved herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 6<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2008.

By the Commission

ATTEST:

Executive Director/

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### APPENDIX A

# APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 2008-00269 DATED

New Rate	Base Rate
113,691,800	113,691,800
\$2.40/1,000	\$ 2.02/1,000
\$272,860.32	\$229,657.43
	113,691,800 <u>\$2.40/1,000</u>

Increased water cost \$43,202.88

Increased water cost \$43,202.88 Divided by gallons sold 75,115,876

Purchased water adjustment factor \$0.58 per 1,000 gallons

#### **APPENDIX B**

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The following rates and charges are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Bronston Water Association Inc. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the effective date of this Order.

### RATES AND CHARGES

5/8" x 3/4" Meter					
First	1,500	gallons	\$14.62	Minimum Bill	
Over	1,500	gallons	6.30	per 1,000 gallons	
1-Inch Meter					
First	5,000	gallons	\$ 36.67	Minimum Bill	
Over	5,000	gallons	6.30	per 1,000 gallons	
2 Inch Meter					
First		gallons	\$ 104.90	Minimum Bill	
Over	20,000	gallons	6.30	per 1,000 gallons	
4-Inch Meter					
First		gallons	\$249.80	Minimum Bill	
Over	50,000	gallons	6.30	per 1,000 gallons	
Hydrants			\$4.17	per hydrant/month	
Purchased Water Rates		\$2.40	per 1,000 gallons		
Leak Adjustment		\$3.70	per 1,000 gallons		
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